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Device Driver Support in an Open
Source Operating System

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AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

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In response to the Office Action mailed January 6, 2006, Applicants submit this response and respectfully request reconsideration of the Examiner's rejections.